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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT AND SECOND PRELIMINARY
AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.115

Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action of June 4, 2007, in the above-identified patent application, including a restriction requirement, please consider the following remarks and this second preliminary amendment, in which some claims are amended. This response is filed within the one month period and set to expire on July 5, 2007 (since July 4, 2007 was an official holiday). Applicants believe that no fees are due with this response. However, in the event that any fees are deemed required, including fees for extension of time, by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office ("PTO"), please charge any such variance to the undersigned's Deposit Account No. 50-2478.

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